IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of HOA et al.

Confirmation No. 1088

Application No. 10/596,750

Examiner:

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Group Art Unit:

For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR MAKING HIGH PERFORMANCE EPOXIES, AND

HIGH PERFORMANCE EPOXIES OBTAINED THEREWITH

RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C 371

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Sir:

In the above-identified application, Applicants have received a Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C 371, mailed March 29, 2007, indicating that the oath submitted with the application was not properly executed. More specifically, Inventor Minh-Tan Thon-That, did not sign the original declaration. Applicants hereby submit the Declaration for the above-identified application signed by all of the inventors. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-0951 in the amount of \$130.00 for the surcharge required under 37 C.F.R. §1.492(h). The Commissioner is further authorized to charge any underpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0951. A copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C 371 dated March 29, 2007 is enclosed. Examination on the merits is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 06/22/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 06/22/2006
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 06/22/2006
- Copy of Annexes to the IPER filed on 06/22/2006
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 06/22/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 09/25/2006
- Oath or Declaration filed on 06/22/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 06/22/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 06/22/2006
- Power of Attorney filed on 06/22/2006
- Specification filed on 06/22/2006
- Claims filed on 06/22/2006
- Abstracts filed on 06/22/2006
- Drawings filed on 06/22/2006

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
 - is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.
 - Inventor signature missing, Minh-Tan Thon-That

To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath
or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the
missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

\$130 Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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